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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Takashi YAMANAKA Conf.:
Appl. No.: 10/808,370 Group:
Filed: March 25, 2004 Examiner:
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 12, 2004

Sir:

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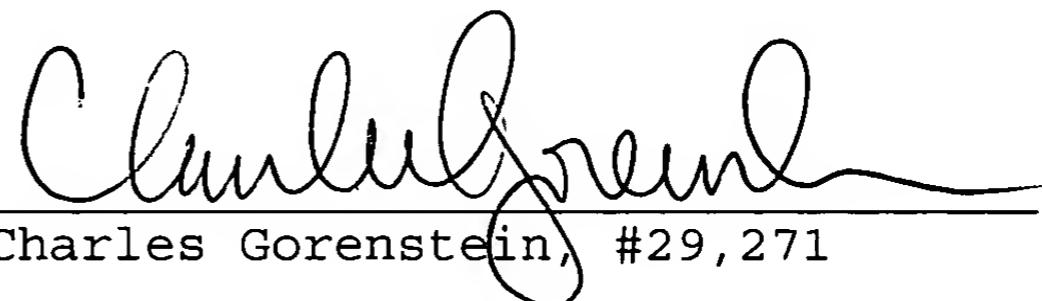
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amended Abstract

Amended Specification;

Amended Claim Set; and

Remarks.